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Our Street Architecture.

Now that the architectural chaos of our city is crystallizing into something like definite forms, it would not be amiss to think for a moment what the San Francisco of the future promises to be in point of architectural beauty. So long as tents and iron boxes or frame shanties, and brick buildings scarcely more substantial formed the staple of its buildings, it would be idle to waste a thought on such a subject. Buildings that can only last a few years may safely be left out of any calculations on the future aspect of our streets; but when such erections as the Palace Hotel, the Nevada Block and the Safe Deposit Company's block are springing up among us, we may venture to form an opinion as to what our city will look like half a century hence. To those who believe that San Francisco is to be a model of art culture on this continent, the prospect is not a brilliant one. Without denying the merits of our building system or even the taste displayed in some of our buildings, it may safely be said that our streets show little architectural beauty. The odd seems to be mistaken for the beautiful by the majority of our citizens, and even those who know better are dazzled by the variety of styles offered to their choice. The result is that our principal streets are likely to present, in a few years, an aspect as motley as a Dolly Varden jacket. Gothic Maison Dorees, Italian Lick Houses, sober blocks with square holes to admit the light, and flaunting Grand Hotels, overrun with bay-windows and ornaments will stand side by side with a charming disregard of one another. A block of sober-looking stores will be broken by a gable, such as might look in place in Nuremburg or Oxford, and half basements and stores fifteen feet high will range up beside lofty neighbors of five and twenty. Variety is no doubt a charming thing; but such a variety as we are likely to have is destruction of anything like beauty in street architecture. It would not be tolerated a moment in Paris or Vienna, or any city with pretensions to architectural taste, and unless our property owners learn that a certain amount of conformity with the surroundings of their buildings is essential to their own appearance, San Francisco will have little chance of becoming an American model of elegance.—*Bohemian.*

Lecture on Horticulture.

Last evening Prof. Carr delivered a lecture on horticulture, at the Congregational Church, before the teachers of Los Angeles county and residents of the city. The lecture was an exceedingly interesting one and closely followed by the large audience. Prof. Carr pronounced horticulture a profession. Just as much as the law or medicine, and requiring just as much study. The successful horticulturalist, in order to bring forth the varied beauties of nature, must be posted in botany, geology, entomology, chemistry, mineralogy, meterology, etc., and at the same time be possessed of artistic taste. Horticulture should be one of the leading studies in our public schools, both on account of its intrinsic utility and its refining influences.

The lecturer called to mind the beautiful gardens that existed centuries ago in Persia and India; to horticulture in Palestine where every inch of surface had to be diligently cultivated; to the horticultural taste and skill of the old Roman, who, luxurious in everything, was an epicure as to flowers and plants, cultivating the grape alone in over one hundred varieties. The Chinese invented landscape gardening and the modern gardens in China and Japan to-day stand unexcelled. He eloquently alluded to the horticulture of the Aztecs in Mexico, reciting the fact that one day in each year was devoted to the planting of trees—an example worthy of imitation in California at this day.

For the past century the progress in horticulture has been most gratifying, and miracles have been wrought in the last fifty years. In Europe at this day more time and money are devoted to horticulture than all the other arts put together. Here in California, with her rich inheritance from all the lands and all the zones, the people must awake to the value of horticulture as regards both health and morals—botanical gardens must be established and botany and its kindred sciences allowed fair play in our schools.—*Herald.*

A Water Haul.

Quite a large party of the youth of South Bend, Ind., who feel called upon to congregate before the abode of every newly-married pair and conduct themselves like a delegation direct from the infernal regions, had assembled before the residence of Mrs. William Defrees, on Wayne street, that city, a night or two ago, to "bell" her daughter and Marshall C. Urquhart, who had just been married. The hideous serenade was at its wildest, when the crowd, intent on nothing but the business in hand, was stampeded by a deluge of water, poured in at short range from a hydrant less than a hundred feet away. They went down like a set of tenpins before a clean sweep. As fast as they could recover they fled down Wayne street, leaving their torturing musical instruments on the field. But a second detachment of hose boys had clapped a length of hose to the hydrant at Wayne and Franklin streets, and as the vanquished serenaders, soiled and streaming from the first onslaught, came up, they were again sent to grass by another waterspout. They escaped over fences and through the alleys, looking more like drowned rats than human beings.

—Mrs. Hart, of Depere, Wis., wife of a butcher there, on the 20th, gave birth to five well-developed babies—four boys and one girl. One of the male children was born dead, and another was born soon after. The mother and remaining three children are reported as doing well. That is too much of a good thing.

Failures in Business.

Peter Cooper failed in making hats, failed as a cabinet maker, locomotive builder and grocer, but as often as he failed he "tried again," until he could stand upon his feet alone, then crowned his victory by giving a million dollars to help the boys in time to come.

Horace Greeley tried three or four lines of business before he founded the *Tribune* and made it worth a million dollars.

Patrick Henry failed at everything he undertook until he made himself the ornament of his age and nation.

Stephen A. Douglas made dinner-tables and bedsteads and bureaus many a long year before he made himself a giant on the floor of Congress.

Abraham Lincoln failed to make both ends meet by chopping wood; failed to make his salt in the galley-slave life of a Mississippi flat-boatman; he had not wit enough to run a corner grocery, and yet he made himself a grand character of the nineteenth century.

General Grant failed at everything except smoking cigars; he learned how to tan hides, but could not sell leather enough to purchase a pair of breeches. A few years ago "he brought up" on top of a wood-pile "teaming it" to town for $40 a month, and yet he is at the head of a great nation.

—A clergyman in one of the rural towns of Maine, who had preached almost two hours the other Sunday, was interrupted by one of his hearers, who remarked in a very loud voice: "There! there! you have preached long enough. If you preach any longer we shall forget the subject of the text!" The meeting closed immediately after.

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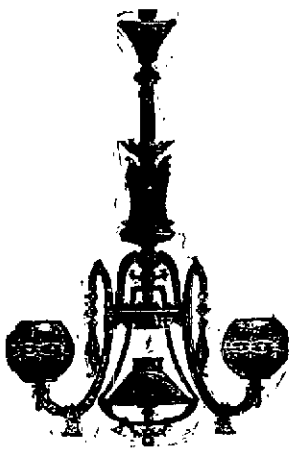

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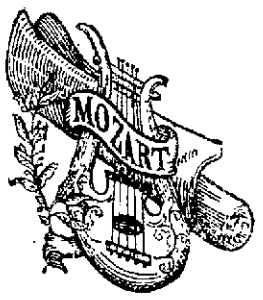

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Financial Quotations.

Following are the rates of gold and greenbacks up to 2 P. M. to-day:

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" " selling	90¾

THE greatest sale of real estate ever gotten up in California, commenced at 12 M. to-day. It is the greatest in more ways than one—the anomaly of a very wealthy man giving away his entire estate as it were, for the use of the public. No event of the season is to be compared to this, if we except the defeat of old Thad Stevens.

WE are getting restless under the anticipated statement by the *Bulletin* respecting Dent's attack on the water front. We saw Brother Bishop walking around with a distracted air lately, as if he meditated the annihilation of Deacon Fitch. We are also preparing to give a description of the fight, and for that purpose have been memorizing the celebrated "Battle of the Frogs and Mice," of classical renown.

WE are gradually ascertaining the location of Lompoc. The *Chronicle's* man doubtless intended to locate the place, but perhaps concluded that the matter was of too much importance to throw upon the world all at once. He left the down steamer at Santa Barbara, thence by vehicle back along the coast as far as Gaviotta Pass, in which vicinity he remained over night, got breakfast, and thence to the sale of land on the ranch of Lompoc. A company paid half a million for the property, and sold it out for three times the cost. Next.

THE What Cheer House congregation were all a nice lot of gutter-snipes up till the advent of the Rev. Dr. Cox, reinforced by one Elder Hopkins and other clerical damphools. It is ever thus. Wherever they attempt to plant the doctrines of Christianity on the sausage-stuffing principle, the devil is generally to pay. That must have been a fine Sunday evening's entertainment for the hoodlums; Cox, Hopkins & Co. bully-ragging and blackguarding each other and the crowd like a lot of yahoos. What a splendid place it would have been to have located a first-class earthquake.

BY reference to the doings of our Board of Supervisors, it will be seen that they are not going to get into trouble with Mr. Foye, the man that ties up brick walls so that the festive earthquake need not apply. Our generous Board of contract brokers just pay Mr. Foye his little demands, and there it ends. In San Francisco they object to exhausting the treasury for the benefit of a stupid system of strengthening a building, just because Mr. F. had been so lucky as to get a patent for it. There is about as much originality in the thing as in a last year's crow's nest, or an old board fence propped up with forks of trees. This does not signify, however, with our wonderful Board of Supervisors, whose President (a well-known Case), voted for himself for that position. Our new Court House is now ready to receive the woodwork. The last brick is being laid. The iron bars and bolts are built in and the warrants drawn. Mr. Foye is aware that there is nothing mean about us.

THE *Bohemian's* article on "Our Street Architecture" is timely enough, but it is not likely that the ideas contained therein will prevail to any great extent. The conditions requisite for uniformity of construction, are quite different in our metropolis from those of Vienna and Paris. We have our Emperor it is true, but his edicts are not obeyed to any great extent. The best illustration of the eccentric character of California's men of means is obtained at Lone Mountain Cemetery. Every one guilty of erecting a last abiding place for his bodily make-up, throws himself on the score of oddity. So all round. The next new building of importance will contain greater variety of outline than any preceding structure. The fire did a good thing for Chicago on this score—it left no time for deliberation, and there is a goodly uniformity of architecture thoughout the newly built portions of the city, combining something considerable of the grandeur of Vienna and the tasteful monotony of Paris. Somehow, we rather like the idea of the average San Franciscan building his house to suit himself. He is a hodge-podge of all nations, with queer notions of his own—call it individuality, if you will; and his works in this life should partake somewhat of the cemetery character before mentioned. The admonitions of the critic in question will doubtless avail, too, to about the same degree that does the proclamations of Norton the First.

IS that half-civilized section of the Union, known as the South, there seems to be much trouble in getting the returns of the late elections. In Arkansas, they are all by the ears to a certain extent, over the old Governorship dissensions, and throughout the infernal regions of the late Confederacy, there is not such an even-tempered state of affairs socially and politically that our old orthodox ministers would have us believe with respect to hell straight. The average citizen of the North does not know how well he is off.

PEOPLE who pay taxes at the City Hall, are inclined to the opinion that the officers in charge round there steal all the money. Elsewhere we publish one item to show where some taxes go—$2,000 per month for street lamps and gas for the City Hall. The school and police departments require more or less money to run them. The Council may be wasteful and loose about allowing bills, &c. As to stealing among the officials, the taxpayers ought to be certain before making the charge.

OUR West Oakland friends are not disposed to rest under the charge of having only the most quiet kind of suicide. There is a sort of fitness in things, however, in a laundryman making a bloody job of it. He is used to all condition of clothes. We have hopes for the Point.

WASHINGTON, November 16.—Congressman Page has received from California affidavits of R. Otis Gibson, E. L. Simmons and Ira M. Condut, now engaged in missionary work among the Chinese in San Francisco, certifying to their personal knowledge of a system of importation of, and traffic in, Chinese women for purposes of prostitution in California. Gibson furnishes an original bill of sale in one of these transactions, in the Chinese language, and gives the English translation, showing the manner in which the slave traffic is conducted. These affidavits were forwarded by Mr. Estee, late Speaker of the California Assembly, to be brought to the attention of Congress by Mr. Page, with a view to securing Federal legislation to prevent further transactions of this kind, it having been held by the Courts in California that the State law for the purpose is unconstitutional. President Grant, in a recent conversation on the subject, expressed the opinion that such importations are in violation of the treaty with China; but he did not say that he believed the treaty was directly violated thereby, nor did he give any assurance, as has been incorrectly stated, that he would call attention to the subject in his forthcoming message.

"GOOD wine needs no bush." When a man is always prating of his own honesty, and decrying that of everybody else, it is safe to put him down as one whom it will not do to trust, and we have always noticed that when a newspaper on the downward road takes to vociferous boasts of its business and circulation, it is getting ready to die. The strong are the self-contained. The virtuous woman is not constantly bragging of her chastity, nor the prosperous man of his bank account.—*Post.*

THE following dispatch will be of local interest:

WASHINGTON, November 16.—General Humphreys, Chief of Engineers, has received from Colonel Mendell an estimate that $500,000 will be required next year for continuing the work of improvement of the dock and harbor opposite San Francisco. This estimate will be transmitted to Congress, probably with an expression of opinion by the department.

LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.

Grand Re-opening Next Friday Evening.

Notice is hereby given that the Oakland Library will reopen on Friday, evening, Nov. 20, 1874.

It is proposed to make the occasion of the reopening of the Library upon its new site, with its improved financial condition, and its bright prospects for increased usefulness, a sort of social reunion; and a very cordial invitation is therefore extended not only to the members but to the friends of culture and the public generally to visit the rooms of the Association, adjoining the City Hall, on the evening named, between the hours of 7½ and 10½.

The new Librarian, Miss Ina D. Coolbrith, will be present, and an opportunity will be afforded for those who are not already members, to join the association, and also for the members to withdraw books. Over $200 worth of new books will be upon the shelves.

The Board of Directors have remitted the dues for the month of October and the first half of November, and also any fines that may have been incurred during the same time. For the proper arranging of the library affairs, it is necessary that all books now out should be returned before Tuesday evening, Nov. 17. They may be left at the office of the undersigned, room No. 2, City Hall. The lady members of the Association are requested to meet the Librarian at their Hall on Thursday next, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., to assist in its decoration.

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7:15 A. M.—Eastern States, Europe, Sacramento, Stockton, Brooklyn, Nevada, Northern California, Oregon and the Territories, excepting Arizona.

8:35 A. M.—For San Francisco.

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9:45 A. M.—For Ocean View and San Pablo.

11:45 A. M.—For San Francisco and Bay Counties, Southern California, Arizona, Sacramento City and Oakland Point.

6:25 P. M.—Same as 11:45 A. M., excepting Oakland Point.

ARRIVAL.

8:00 A. M.—From San Francisco and Bay Counties.

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4:45 P. M.—Same as 8:00 A. M. mail, with addition of Arizona and Southern California.

7:25 P. M.—Same as departure at 7:15 A. M.

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3:35 P. M.—Daily, San Jose passenger train, stopping at all way stations.

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9:00 A. M.—Morning train from San Jose.

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The Democratic Victories throughout the Union have roused our citizens to the highest pitch of excitement, but we are glad to note that F. Barbagalata, of No. 1070 Broadway, near Twelfth, still preserves his calmness of mind and serves his customers from his fine assortment of crockery, glassware and hardware at prices as low as the lowest. Give him a call before going elsewhere.

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West Oakland more than keeps up her reputation. It was only three days ago that we had occasion to descant on the peculiarities of the two ends of town (leaving out Brooklyn) with respect to suicide, and how the last case of poison down at the West End had been saved from the jaws of death. That fellow has left the city prison determined to end his troubles, but to keep up the reputation of the Point, a man down there made sure work of it last night. On the

CORNER OF FIFTEENTH AND KIRKHAM STREETS,

Lived one Thomas McDonough, wife and small boy. This location is near the Contra Costa Laundry, in which Mr. McDonough has been an employee. He was not at work yesterday, but on a spree, returning home in a noisy condition. Word being sent to the laundry, a man came over and helped quiet the drunken fellow. This party then returned in the direction of the laundry, promising to be back if anything serious demanded. He had scarcely reached the laundry, when the cry of fire called him back to McDonough's house, where he found that the proprietor had got out of bed, scattered the kerosene over the sofa, chairs, bedding, etc., and set it on fire, then returned to bed and with a razor attempted to kill himself. He had announced this determination to his wife, and proceeded to business at once. It was about half-past eight when this act took place. Dr. Bolton was called, and the wounds were sewed up and bandaged. Quiet reigned in the house of McDonough, until about one o'clock, when the party on watch heard something drop. McDonough was found lying on the floor. He was again put to bed, where he remained comparatively quiet until about half-past two, when the watch went into the bedroom and found the man in the last agonies of death. It was evident that he had not bled to death, and he must have taken some of the worst whisky in the world, or a regular dose of poison. Perhaps the liquor had been drugged.

Early this morning, word was sent up to Coroner Mather, who, in company with Mr. Reeves, of Helmer's undertaking establishment, went down and brought up the body. This afternoon, Dr. Woolsey dissected the stomach, preparatory to the inquest the Coroner purposes to hold at half-past six this evening. Deceased is evidently of foreign birth.

Wilcox vs. Merritt.

These two old financial mules afford us much light amusement. They built a hotel big enough to house several whole families, yet they have no place for certain to lay their respective heads. First, we have the Doctor trying to get a corner on the Captain through the court, and now the latter is going to have a lodging-house of his own. True, it does not, although upon stilts, nor overshadow the Grand Central, but such as it is, it is a subject of passing interest, and is located on the northeast corner of Fourteenth and Broadway—or will be when Fourteenth street is opened to the public between Franklin and Broadway. The Captain got hold of the old Brayton Hall boarding-house, and moved it out through the classic live oak, on wheels, and now it is on stilts as before said. The under-pinning will be knocked out in due time, and, presto change, we will see an array of stores after the manner of those under the G. C. Vengeance is mine, saith the Lord. The Doctor is now to hear from.

Lyceum Hall Last Night.

The efforts of Prof. Shulte in the direction of affording the people of Oakland good musical entertainments at popular prices, are perhaps increasing in favor. The attendance last night was rather encouraging, compared with past experience. The gentleman went to a considerable expense in fixing up that hall in a tasteful and cosy manner — in fact, it is by far the best place Oakland has now got for concert and lecture purposes, and it is earnestly to be hoped that so long as entertainment of real merit is afforded there the people will patronize it liberally. The trouble about getting out an audience with any regularity and certainty in this intellectual goat pasture, is that the population is scattered all over four miles square, and divided up into church and other factions too numerous to mention.

New Style of Bread.

Under "New To-Day" will be found the notice of Rambaud & Co., of the Franklin Street French Bakery, who advertise that they are now making American as well as French bread, also cakes, pies, etc. Give them a trial — their wagons run to all parts of the city.

A STAR-TLING OUTRAGE.

A Notary Public of Alameda County Foully Dealt with.

The glory of the *News* office has departed. For the past few weeks the citizens of Oakland have with just admiration beheld the office of our solemn contemporary over the way blooming into beauty by means of a series of signs each more wonderful in design than the other. For some years past the *News* has occupied its quarters in connection with

MR. GEORGE WASHINGTON EDWARDS,

Who has toyed in his leisure hours with the books of the concern. A few months since Governor Booth became acquainted with Mr. Edwards and being struck with the intellectual appearance of the gentleman, begged that he would accept the responsible office of Notary Public for Alameda county. After taking counsel of the Lord and his mother-in-law, George Washington consented. Honor followed upon honor. Plastered with the Gubernatorial favor, Mr. Edwards was daily besieged with offers of positions of trust. A committee of twenty was appointed by the Odd Fellows of our city to wait upon him and prevail upon him to superintend the cheerful operations of the

CORPSE CLUB

Connected with that Order, accompanying their tender with a beautiful safe and an assortment of signs. A few days afterwards the Western Union Telegraph Company (in so great requisition are Notary Edwards' services), constructed a special line between the two offices, ornamenting Mr. Edwards' desk with a handsome alarm bell and two signs. The Union Bank of Savings also established telegraph communication and contributed a sign.

GEORGE WASHINGTON

Is also Secretary of the Young Men's Republican Club. Although this organization is no more, it has left Mr. Edwards a fine legacy of signs, which have added not a little to the general collection.

THE CROWNING GLORY.

A sort of glorified buzz-saw, on the gilt ground of which, in the left foreground, gracefully sat the Goddess of Liberty, engaged in holding her sceptre and viewing Mr. Edwards in the distance digging for clams with a pick. This blazing star hung like a golden tear under the semi-circular sign—"George Washington Edwards, Notary Public," over the door.

THE OUTRAGE.

In the still hours of the night of Nov. 16th, 1874, some stiff-necked and rebellious cuss, following the forbidden instinct of his generation, was out seeking for a sign. As there are more of them about the *News* office than in all the rest of Oakland put together, there is no need betting where he went on his unholy errand. The glorified buzz-saw is gone! George Washington sits among the remainder of his signs and mourneth for his last born.

The Governor has already telegraphed his condolences, and announces that he has despatched a consignment of choice signs.

Cruelty to Chickens.

Mayor Durant and A. I. Gladding, complained against one Ah Sing, who was duly arrested by Capt. Rand, for carrying chickens head downwards on a pole, for the distance of six miles. The case will come up in Judge Jayne's Court to-morrow. It is believed that the celestial intended to sell the fowls by weight, and was determined not to lose anything by reason of the transportation. He brought them to market right side up with care—according to the celestial way of thinking.

Lecture Season.

There does not seem to be much prospect of thrilling entertainment in the way of lecture courses in Oakland this winter. Since Brigham's nineteenth left us, lecturer's of attraction are few and far between. Dr. Newcomb, let us hear from you on San Domingo. Give the proceeds to the church. That will bring them out. The Library is a sucked orange.

An Error.

In our overland arrivals last night there was an error in the names McGeorge—the fault of the dispatch—they should have read Mrs. L. and Miss K. E. McGeorge. They are the mother and sister of our popular bill-poster, H. D. McGeorge, and will make their home in Oakland. Mr. McGeorge will have a brother also arrive in a few days.

Held to Answer.

The two men—Frank Hughes and Joseph P. O'Connor—examined yesterday in Police Court on charge of grand larceny, were held to appear before the grand jury in the sum of $2,000 each. O'Connor admitted having robbed Dexter, in San Francisco, as heretofore described.

House Moving.

This is about as much of a year for house moving as for building, and the work goes bravely on. One is seen coming up Eighth street, and another rushed out on lower Broadway this morning.

Deserved Mention.

The first appearance of Misses Seeglitz and Burkhardt, in vocal and instrumental performances, was well received last night at Lyceum Hall. They have won their way to future favor and notice.

Board of Education.

This Tuesday evening is the time of the regular meeting of the above institution.

Arrested.

Officer McKay arrested Jose Garcia on suspicion of larceny.

SALE OF LICK HOUSE

AND OTHER PROPERTY!

This morning we requested Mr. Sessions to send us a hint or two by telegraph in regard to the sale of the Lick estate. The following was received:

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 17th—2:20 P. M.

The Lick House property brought nine hundred and twenty thousand dollars. The first twenty-five properties brought one million, seven hundred and seventy thousand dollars.

E. C. SESSIONS.

COUNTY SUPERVISORS.

Auditor's and Treasurer's Reports—Bills Allowed—Other Items of Interest.

The Board met yesterday, transacted the following business, and adjourned till the 7th of December.

The Auditor and Treasurer presented their quarterly reports. The Treasurer reported cash on hand, August 1, as $52-902.86. The total receipts and disbursements, $166,786.50. The amount of County bonds outstanding, $180,944.16. The amount of County warrants unpaid, $107,800.65.

The Building Committee was granted further time to report on the petition of Mack Webber for permission to build an engine house on Washington Square.

A petition to appoint W. D. Haralson bridge-tender for the Bay Island Farm bridge was placed on file.

The jurors' bills for the October term of the District Court, and the following bills were allowed:

C. F. Barnuisel, watchman county buildings	65 00
John Rodgers, constable fees	15 50
R. C. Grigsby, jail supplies	10 40
Stroebel & Neudeck, meat for hospital	139 63
Chas. Puff, 3 coffins for hospital	30 00
M. Francis, vegetables for hospital	84 61
W. D. Fountain, stationery, etc.	5 75
Contra Costa Water Co., 3 months water rent for county buildings	15 00
F. K. Shattuck, services as Supervisor, and mileage	56 40
Isham Case, services as Supervisor, and mileage	54 00
Geo. E. Sherman, M.D., examining insane	15 00
E. Hook, furniture	12 50
Butler & Stillwell, printing	41 50
S. H. Mather, coroner's fees	37 30
R. B. Kemble, conveying hospital patients	11 00
C. J. Stevens, postage stamps	25 00
Wm. H. Foye, balance on iron work in Court House	2,472 70
L. P. Mason, Superintendent on county buildings	200 00
G. W. Babcock, payment on jail	14,000 00

The Building Committee was requested to examine the new County Jail, to see if it is completed, and report at the next meeting.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Atlas of the State of California.

We propose publishing an Atlas of the State of California, containing a map of every county, showing sections, roads, railroads, streams, school-houses, churches, etc., etc. Fine maps, 14x28 inches, of the State of California, United States and Territories, and of both hemispheres; an extensive history of the State; plans, with histories of the cities, towns, villages and counties; biographies of a large number of early settlers and prominent men of the State; also, a condensed political history of the State, together with maps so colored as to show its geological and climatological conditions: with also the congressional and representative districts. Sixteen maps of the United States, colored in five fine grades, to show the amount of wheat, hay, corn, cotton and tobacco raised in proportion to acres cultivated; also, to show deaths by consumption and other diseases in proportion to the deaths by all diseases, and to show the density of population, and proportion of colored and various foreign nationalities in the United States.

An immense amount of useful statistical information covering about fifty square feet of closely printed matter in every Atlas. The whole work will be illustrated by fine line engravings of a large number of public buildings and private residences in both town and country; also, portraits of prominent men.

Having vast resources at our command, a large working force, and many years of experience in Atlas publishing, if sufficient encouragement is received, we hope to complete the work some time during 1875. Yours truly,

ANDREAS, EVERTS & THOMPSON,
Lake Side Building, Chicago, Ills.

Attracted Many.

The other day we published an item about Mr. Rice having the roof of his house, corner of Webster and Eighteenth streets, painted with Beale's Patent Roof Paint. The item had the effect of taking about twenty persons up to see the roof on the Sunday following. They all expressed themselves highly pleased with the ornamentation alone, aside from the many other superior qualities of this paint. It seems strange that this paint has not been used before. It works equally well on tin roofs. Mr. Frank Browne, the agent, is established in Oakland, and we are daily looking to see Beale's Paint on all roofs. Were people once to understand the advantages to be derived, Mr. Browne could not fill orders fast enough.

Temperance Matters.

The local delegates to the State Temperance Convention are to meet to-night at the Presbyterian church, corner of Thirteenth and Broadway.

PUBLIC BATH.

All About Brother Potter and the Fountain.

Now that the great unwashed are about to come into power, the well-being of the State suggests that a system of public baths be inaugurated. In connection with the Memorial Fountain, so much talked of, Brother Potter could not do better than to turn his celebrated hole in the ground alongside into a grand public swimming bath. In view, also, of our harbor improvement, it behooves the doting parent to have the youth of the place instructed in the manly art of navigating the water in a "state of natur." At present, our water-front is not dangerous to children, but there is no telling what it may become in due time. Let us be prepared. Let Brother Potter secure the sides and bottom of his what-you-call-it with a good coating of water-proof cement, and stretch a canvass over the triangular background of the forthcoming fountain, and go on with the work of teaching the young democracy to paddle their own canoe and keep clean at the some time. It is not to be expected that we can sustain at present an institution after the old Roman plan, but it is only by a beginning that we can accomplish anything for certain. We have all along been aware that Brother Potter was anxious to perpetrate some distinguished public good, but he has been bothered only as to the want of a definite system. Here, then, we have it—a first-class opportunity for the smallest outlay of money. Let the Fountain be a tender to the Potter bath, and we may all be happy yet.

Fine Baggage Car.

Yesterday the overland train bound East took out a new baggage car, No. 35. It is the finest baggage car on the road, if not on any road. It is numbered 35, and was completed this week at the railroad shops, where its mate, No. 36, is now receiving the finishing touches. It is forty-eight feet long inside. Its roof is arched and has the elevated ventilator tops, making the car very high. The ceiling is pure white, the first of that kind put in a baggage car. Instead of two central doors, as in the old cars, there are four—two on each side. At one end is a stationary washstand and water tank, and a clock in the center contains a large stove. Opposite each door the floor is bound and barred with iron strips. The trucks are six-wheeled, and are the first six-wheelers put on a baggage car on the overland line. All the work is finished in the best style, equal to the first-class passenger cars. Experienced workmen and mechanics who saw the car yesterday were unanimous in commending it as a beautiful sample of strong and superior workmanship.—*Sac. Record, Saturday.*

The New Lecturess.

Miss Sallie Hart will lecture at the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association, San Francisco, on Tuesday evening next. Subject, "Margaret Fuller."

House Warming.

The Supervisors are smelling round the new jail with a view of taking it off the contractors' hands, and turning it over to the Sheriff.

City Gas Light.

There are 342 street lamps in Oakland and what with these and the rest of the city lamps and their repairs, the bill against the city last month was $2,000.41.

Auction Sale.

Mark Ezekiels will hold an auction sale of furniture at his salesroom to-morrow morning, commencing at 11 o'clock.

The City Treasurer

Informs us that there is now money enough in the exchequer to meet all the demands on the General and Salary Funds.

George Carlton

And his New Foundland dog, notwithstanding his barking with the cold, got through with credit last night.

GRAND CENTRAL HOTEL.

Following are the arrivals at the Grand Central Hotel:

W. H. Walter & wf, San Francisco;
R. B. Pratt,
Thomas S. Adams, New York;
John Skinker & wf, Oakland;
V. R. Raymond, "
J. F. Spurgeon, Grayson, Cal.;
Capt. Williams & wf, "
P. Hoge, San Francisco;
Dr. S. F. Brewster, Marysville;
J. P. Warren, Albany, N. Y.;
S. Salty, San Quentin;
F. Marriott, Jr., & wf, San Francisco;
J. Lewis and family, "
E. P. Farnesworth, "
M. Boring, Baltimore;
Mrs. Irving, Iowa;
D. A. Upson, Tullmadya, Ohio;
Henry Janin, San Francisco;
J. I. Thomas, Fort Wayne, Ind.;
F. F. Frost, Louisville, Ky.;
John Johnson, Janesville, Wis.;
George Hammond, Elmira, N. Y.;
Geo. C. Dorland, Evansville, Ind.;
Thomas Johnson, Philadelphia;
Charles Carlton, Clayton;
E. P. Stacy, Somersville;
M. F. Mitchell, Portland, Ohio;
J. G. Hussey & wf, Cleveland, Ohio;
Miss A. L. Hussey, "
Miss L. L. Lyon, "
Mrs. Wilson, Green Valley;
Miss McGury, "
E. W. Wheeler, San Jose;
L. F. Baker, Jr., San Francisco;
Mrs. B. Rowland, Philadelphia;
Miss J. Rowland, "

The cold weather is approaching rapidly, and in order to keep warm and have a sure preventive from getting cold, call on Harris Bros., 908 Broadway, and purchase one of those Beaver Overcoats; they are sold remarkably cheap, and are stylish and durable.

W. D. Fountain, 1061 Broadway, employs Kohler, Chase & Co.'s piano tuner. Satisfaction guaranteed or no charge. Leave orders for Monday of each week. Agent for Decker Bros.' Pianos.

Decker Bros., Dunham and Emerson Pianos sold by W. D. Fountain, 1061 Broadway, on installments, at cash prices. Pianos on hand to rent from $5 to $9 per month—rent to apply on purchase if desired.

Godart's Premium Squirrel Poison, 25 cents per pound. Forwarded in sacks everywhere, free of charge, by sending money to Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express, Oakland.

OVERLAND ARRIVALS TO-NIGHT.

Following is a list of passengers to arrive on the overland train due here to-night:

C. O. Bagley, Mrs. M. E. Brayton, Watson Webb, wife and two children, A. Wood, Mrs. Wm. Stokes, Oakland; M. Fultz, Kansas; D. McKimmon, J. A. Kuhn, Wyoming; —Eichmiller, U. S. A.; A. Chittenden and wife, Vermont; G. E. Jeffries, Baltimore; Mrs. C. A. Geschwend, Keokuk, Iowa; R. Dunshee, Santa Barbara; G. A. Waltz, Louisville, Ky.; J. C. Mann, A. M. Cox, New York; P. Griswold and wife, Hudson, Mich.; Mrs. Mary McGinnis and two children, Chicago; Miss Maggie Campbell, Philadelphia; David Braid, wife and three children, Scotland; Mrs. A. D. Knight, Ill.; Mrs. W. Smith, Mrs. L. Halorin, Master Wm. Smith, Mrs. T. W. Lockhart, Mrs. W. W. Dames and niece, San Francisco; E. Masterson, Stockton; C. A. Darley, Buffalo; Mrs. C. Beance and two children, New Orleans; A. J. McDavid, wife and child, Cal.; Mrs. C. E. Clarke, Miss Ella Clarke, Miss Mary Clarke, Fulton, N. Y.; Mrs. M. Kellogg, Brooklyn, N. Y.; W. N. Heaton and wife, Mrs. M. A. Palm and child, Ohio; John C. Vanhorn, Jersey City; M. H. Davis, Salt Lake; O. E. M. Howard, Toledo; W. H. Luce, Mrs. D. Osbrow, Erie, Pa.; Mrs. C. E. Dawson and two children, Canada; Mrs. M. A. Crofts, England; Mrs. S. Walker, Master J. Everett Walker, Keene, N. H.; E. C. Murray, M. M. Howland, New Bedford, Mass.; J. W. Irons, T. C. Hubbard, wife and two children, Salt Lake; Mrs. J. H. Berry, Princeton, Cal.; and 270 immigrants.

FREE EVENING SCHOOL.

Announcement by the City Superintendent.

Provided a sufficient number shall express a wish to attend, to justify its organization, an evening school will be opened—time and place to be hereafter specified—in accordance with the following sections from the Rules and Regulations of the Board of Education:

Sec. 42—Purpose—The Evening Schools of this city are established to afford the means of an English education to boys and girls who are unable to attend the day schools, and to adults who may wish to avail themselves of the privileges which they afford.

Sec. 43—Admission—They shall be free to all persons over twelve years of age.

Sec. 44—Terms—They shall be continued for the same length of time during the year as the day schools, with the same vacations.

Sec. 45—Studies—The studies pursued in these schools shall be Reading, Spelling, Writing, Arithmetic, Grammar, Book-keeping, and may include Architectural and Mechanical Drawing.

Sec. 46.—Day Pupils—No pupil attending a day school shall be permitted to attend the evening schools, except for the purpose of securing lessons in drawing.

Sec. 47.—Sessions.—The sessions shall be held every evening in the week, except Saturday and Sunday, and shall be two hours in length, the time for opening and closing to be determined by the Committee on Classification, according to the season of the year.

Sec. 48.—Average Number of a Class.—No class shall be continued unless twenty pupils constitute the average daily attendance.

Sec. 49.—Rules.—The general regulations of the Department shall apply to Evening Schools, except as herein provided.

Those desiring to join such a class may leave their names, with residence and name of employer, at either of the book stores or drug stores, or at the office of the undersigned, any time before 5 o'clock of Tuesday, November 17, 1874.

By order Committee on Evening Schools.

F. M. CAMPBELL,
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Always Ahead.—The little furniture store next door to the City Market, sells furniture and bedding cheaper than any house this side of the bay. Being situated a little out of the business portion of Oakland, and having a lease of our store for a long term, at low rent, we mean to carry a living trade, and shall study to please. Upholstering done in great variety. Hair and spring mattrasses worked over equal to new. Repairing, varnishing and polishing done on the premises, and promptly attended to.

WILBERT & SCHELLHAAS,
413 Twelfth street, next City Market.

Notice.—All parties indebted to the late firm of Gurnett Bros. are requested to call and settle immediately. Their office will be at the old stand, on Broadway, for the next thirty days.

Piano-Tuner.—A first-class piano-tuner can always be secured by applying to the Sohmer & Co. Agency, 307 Twelfth street.

All Orders in the music line promptly attended to, at the Sohmer & Co. Agency, 307 Twelfth street, under Grand Central.

Dr. Popper cures corns, bunions, ingrowing nails, etc.—20 Montgomery street, San Francisco.

50-CT. COLUMN.

☞ *To afford everybody an opportunity to profit by the Evening Tribune's wide circulation, all small advertisements, such as Lost, Found, Wanted, To-Let, For Sale, Club and Society Notices, not exceeding six lines, will be inserted at the rate of 50 Cents per week.*

Furnished Rooms.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET AT 553 SEVenth street.

Seamstress Wanted.

WANTED — A SEAMSTRESS — ONE who understands the Florence or Grover & Baker machine. Apply at Mrs. Hyde's, 458 Twelfth street.

To Let—Stalls.

TO LET—A NUMBER OF STALLS SUITable for one or more horses. Enquire at the furniture store next City Market, 413 Twelfth st.

Furnished Rooms.

A FEW NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS to let to gentlemen at a private house, 411 Ninth street, near Broadway.

Wanted for Moving.

WANTED—A HARD FINISHED HOUSE suitable for a dwelling; three to seven rooms. Will be removed at once. Price must be low. Address, Lock Box 48, Oakland Post-office, giving locality.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

To the Public!

A SHORT TIME SINCE A PARTY CALLing himself "WM. L. LONG," came to me and represented that he had a Self-Acting Sewing Machine Treadle, and asked permission to show the same at my office, which I granted. I find, upon inquiry, that WM. L. LONG is a thief and swindler, and caution the public against him. Other than in the manner mentioned above he has not or never had any connection with my business or with the Company I represent.

P. E. DAVIS,
Agent Grover & Baker Sewing Machine.

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TUESDAY.....NOV. 17, 1874

Served by Carriers, 10 cents per Week

THE TANGLES IN NEAERA'S HAIR.

"To sport with Amaryllis in the shade,
Or with the tangles of Neaera's hair."—Milton.

The diamond takes no added gleam
Although its golden bed be bright:
Plucked from the crystal of its stream
The water-lily still is white.

Simplicity is nature's charm,
And wears a grace unknown to art;
The bracelet on a shapely arm
But hides a fair thing's fairest part.

And she is dear as a caress,
And lovelier than I can speak;
The very breezes woo each tress
That shades the damask of her cheek.

And darkness mated with the light
Produced my love as beauty's heir:
From one she draws her bosom white,
From one the ebon of her hair.

It flows not 'neath a diadem,
It is not wreathed in costly braid,
It boasteth not a single gem;
It decks a simple village maid.

She's all the world can dream of love,
She's all that Heaven can reck of bliss;
The raven's plumage on a dove,
With soul as gentle as a kiss.

Then stream her ringlets soft and free!
I would not have them looped with pearls:
She's heaven and earth and all to me,
With nothing but her own dark curls.
—*Bohemian.*

Curiosities Wanted.

It is considered that we have enough to brag of in our country without indulging in hyperbole, but now and then a Mark-Twain story will get out, and it is best nailed at once by our own citizens, as in the following case:

"Meat hung up in the air of Los Angeles dries up, but never rots."

"The peach bears a peck in the second year from planting the pit."—*Truman and Nordhoff.*

Col. J. J. Warner, our acknowledged authority as the "oldest inhabitant," now comes forward and offers a reward of ten dollars for a bushel of the above described air and one dozen of the pits from that peck, or five dollars for one or the other. We score one for the Colonel.—*Los Angeles Herald.*

—There would not, says the Boston *Transcript*, be so many "irregularities" in banking institutions if the officers of them attended to their duties as faithfully as those of the "Provident Institution for Savings in the Town of Boston" do. Since 1816, when the Bank was established, there has been a weekly examination of its affairs maintained without interruption. A committee of three, each week, two of whom must be present, examine the doings of the week previous and certify as to it in writing, over their individual signature. The officers of the corporation alternate in the duty.

—The earliest participants in the fall trade—Adam and Eve.

CITY AND COUNTY OFFICERS.

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Mayor.....Henry Durant
Police Judge.....A. H. Jayne
Treasurer and Clerk.....H. Hillebrand
Marshal and Tax Collector.Perry Johnson
City Assessor.....Joseph M. Dillon
City Attorney.....S. F. Gilcrest
City Engineer.....Thos. J. Arnold
Clerk of Police Court....Edward Hoskins
Marshal's Clerk.....J. J. Porter
Deputy City Clerk.....C. J. Robinson

CITY COUNCIL.

Regular meetings Monday evenings.
M. Webber, President.

Israel W. Knox, N. W. Spaulding,
W. S. Snook, James Larue,
J. R. Mason, Wallace Everson.

STANDING COMMITTEES.—Ordinance and Judiciary—Spaulding, Larue, Everson. Auditing and Finance—Knox, Mason, Spaulding. Streets and Buildings—Snook, Mason, Larue. Fire and Water—Everson, Mason, Knox. Education—Larue, Knox, Everson. Street Lights and Lamp Posts—Larue, Snook, Everson. Removals and Obstructions—Spaulding, Snook, Mason. City Hall and Police—Mason, Snook, Spaulding.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Regular meetings 1st and 3d Tuesdays.

Supt. Public Schools.....P. M. Campbell
President Board Education.....R. E. Cole
Secretary.....B. P. Wall

E. W. Playter, A. W. Swett,
C. W. Kellogg, W. K. Rowell,
Jas. A. Folger, W. F. Boardman.

STANDING COMMITTEES.—Rules and Regulations—Folger, Kellogg, Playter. Classification and Course of Instruction—Swett, Boardman, Folger, Cole, Campbell. Text Books, Music and Drawing—Kellogg, Folger, Rowell. School Houses and Sites—Boardman, Rowell, Swett. Furniture and Supplies—Rowell, Swett, Playter. Salaries, Finance, Judiciary and Auditing—Playter, Kellogg, Swett. High School—Campbell, Boardman, Folger. Cosmopolitan School and Modern Languages—Playter, Kellogg, Boardman.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Chief Engineer.....M. de la Montanya

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Health Officer.....Geo. E. Sherman
Wm. Bamford, C. S. Kittredge,
Wm. Bolton.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Captain of Police.....D. H. Rand

W. Aldrich, A. Shorey,
A. Wilson, W. H. Summers,
H. Tyler, Geo. H. Carleton,
W. D. Thomas, Chas. P. McKay,
O. Whipple, J. L. Roundy.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

County Clerk.....J. V. B. Goodrich
Recorder.....B. S. Marston
Auditor.....P. R. Borein
Treasurer.....R. S. Farrelly
Surveyor.....Louis Castro
Sheriff.....H. N. Morse
Under Sheriff.....A. W. Collins
Deputy Sheriff.....J. R. Tyrrell

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Regular meetings First Mondays of February, May, August and November.
Isham Case, Chairman.

O. H. Burnham, H. Overacker,
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